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Applicants hereby request that the filing receipt data of the above-identified U.S. patent application as listed on the records of the Patent and Trademark Office be corrected.

Submitted herewith is a copy of the Filing Receipt indicating in red that the inventors' residence address should be corrected as follows:

After "Hagihara,", delete "Osaka-shi" and insert  
--Amagasaki-Shi--; and  
After "Takada,", delete "Osaka-shi" and insert  
--Itami-Shi--.

A copy of the Transmittal of PrintEFS Patent Application Bibliographic Data filed on July 18, 2000, is

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Also, a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney filed on July 18, 2000, is enclosed herewith indicating the correct residence address of the inventors.

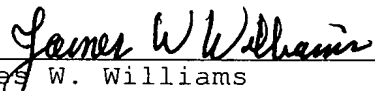
The Declaration shows the residential address of Mr. HAGIHARA to be Amagasaki-Shi, Hyogo-Ken, Japan. Thus, the city of residence is "Amagasaki-Shi", while the prefecture of residence is "Hyogo-Ken". The Declaration also shows the residential address of Mr. TAKADA to be Itami-Shi, Hyogo-Ken, Japan. Thus, the city of residence is "Itami-Shi", while the prefecture of residence is "Hyogo-Ken".

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Submitted herewith is bibliographic data (2 pages) for the above-identified application, in the PrintEFS Version 1.0.1 program format.

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